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MAIL STOP - PATENT APPLICATION

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Transmitted herewith for filing is a Continuing Prosecution patent application

Of: Kazuo Hokkirigawa et al.

For: ELECTRICALLY MOTORIZED PUMP HAVING A SUBMERSIBLE SLEEVE BEARING

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| 1. | \boxtimes | Specification, abstract and claims (22 pages) | | | | | | |
| 2. | \boxtimes | 3 sheets of formal informal drawings (Figs. 1-4) | | | | | | |
| | | Suggested Figure for Publication: | | | | | | |
| 3. | \boxtimes | Declaration | | | | | | |
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| | | Copy from a prior application (for continuation/divisional) | | | | | | |
| 4. | \boxtimes | Application Data Sheet | | | | | | |
| 5. | | Preliminary Amendment | | | | | | |
| 6. | | Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 | | | | | | |
| 7. | | assignment and Assignment Recordation sheet (Fee calculated separately) | | | | | | |
| 8. | | The prior application is assigned to: Minebea Co., Ltd. | | | | | | |
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| | | A copy of the assignment from the prior application is enclosed. | | | | | | |
| 9. | | Non-Publication Request | | | | | | |
| 10. | | Other: | | | | | | |
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| 11. | | This application is made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (b) and is a | | | | | | |
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| | of Prior Application Serial No. 10/387,021, filed March 12, 2003. | | | | | | | |
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| 12. | | An Extension of time is filed concurrently herewith for the parent application. | | | | | | |
| 13. | Small Entity Status: | | | | | | | |
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